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April 10, 2002

Mr. Dion Novak
Superfund Division
United State Environmental Protection Agency
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Chicago, Illinois 60604

Re: Monthly Progress Report – March 2002
Eagle Zinc Site, Hillsboro, Illinois

Dear Mr. Novak:

This progress report has been prepared pursuant to the December 31, 2001 Administrative Order by Consent (AOC) for the Eagle Zinc Company site, located in Hillsboro, Illinois and includes activities conducted during March 2002 and through the date of this letter.

I. Activities Conducted During Reporting Month

Activities conducted during the reporting period included:

- Held Technical Review Meeting on March 7, 2002 to discuss USEPA/IEPA comments on the draft Preliminary Site Evaluation (PSE) Report. The comments were provided in a letter prepared by USEPA dated March 7, 2002.
- Revised PSE Report in accordance with comments provided during the meeting and submitted final PSE Report to USEPA and IEPA on March 27, 2002.
- Submitted draft RI/FS Work Plan to USEPA and IEPA for review on March 29, 2002.

II. Difficulties Encountered During Reporting Month

No difficulties were encountered during the reporting month.

III. Changes in Key Project Personnel

No changes in key project personnel have occurred.

IV. Sampling and Testing Results

No sampling or test results were generated during the reporting month.

V. Project Schedule

The current Project Schedule, including actual dates for completed tasks, is attached to this letter.

VI. Activities Planned for Next Reporting Month

The following activities are planned for April 2002:

- A Technical Review Meeting to discuss USEPA/IEPA comments on the draft RI/FS Work Plan is scheduled to occur at ENVIRON's Deerfield, Illinois office on April 17, 2002.

If you have any questions concerning this progress report, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

ENVIRON International Corporation



F. Ross Jones, P.G.
Manager

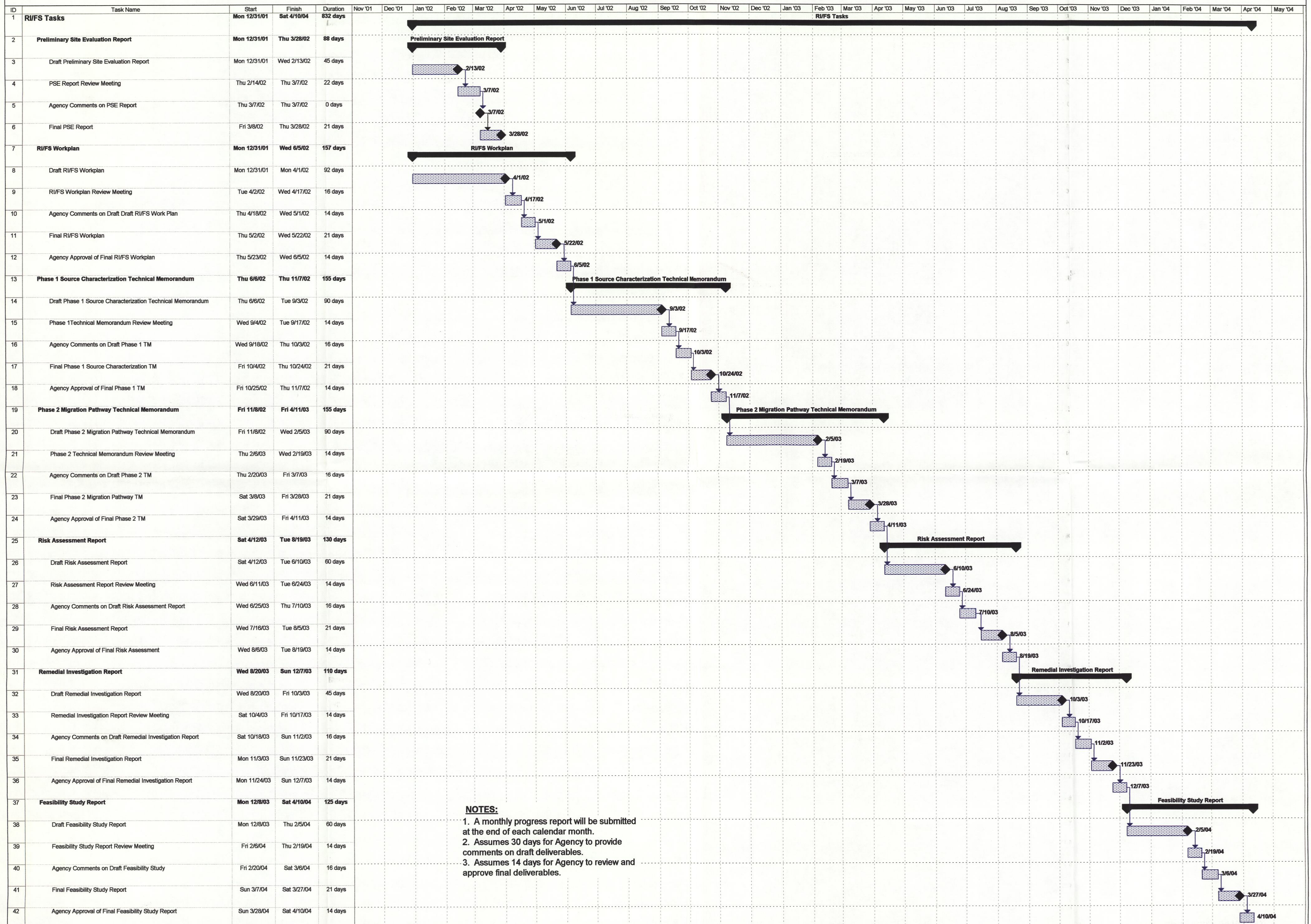
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Attachment

cc: Thomas Krueger, Esq. - USEPA Region 5
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NOTES:

1. A monthly progress report will be submitted at the end of each calendar month.
2. Assumes 30 days for Agency to provide comments on draft deliverables.
3. Assumes 14 days for Agency to review and approve final deliverables.